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SHIPPING.

OVERLAND ROUTE.

On Saturday, the 4th March, at 3 P.M., from Mazagon.

THE P. & O. Co.'s S. S. GOLCONDA, (1,900 tons, and 400 H. P.), Captain A. Coleman, WILL LEAVE FOR SUEZ as above, carrying H. M.'s Mails, also Passengers and Cargo for that Port, Brindisi, Southampton, &c.

Cargo can also be booked through to Trieste, Venice, Odessa, Genoa, Naples, and Havre, Liverpool or London.

No Cargo can be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

The Company reserve the option of forwarding all Goods shipped by their steamers for Europe, through Egypt, either by Rail, or by Canal in their own steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose.

Passengers are requested to send their heavy baggage to Mazagon before 10 A.M. on the day of the Steamer's departure, in order that it may be weighed and labelled previous to shipment.

A small Steamer will leave the New Dock Head at Mazagon at 3 P.M., precisely, on the day of sailing.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

The Company's Steamers now run to and from Brindisi instead of Marseilles.

REDUCED PARCEL RATES.

A considerable REDUCTION has been made in the TARIFF of CHARGES for SMALL PARCELS to ENGLAND, &c., particulars of which can be learnt on application at this Office.

Parcels will in future be received up to noon on the day of sailing.

G. F. HENRY, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Rampart Row, Bombay,
25th February 1871.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE P. and O. Co.'s S. S. BEHAR, (1,723 tons, and 300 H.P.), Captain W. Blake, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 2nd March, leaving Mazagon at noon on that day, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing, and no brokerage will be allowed on any chest of opium, the officer's receipt for which is not lodged in the Company's office before 11 A.M. on Tuesday, the 28th instant.

G. F. HENRY, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Rampart Row, Bombay,
16th February 1871.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH RUSSIA.

(Via Suez Canal.)

THE Russian Steam Navigation, Trading, and Odessa Railway Company have established a REGULAR SERVICE between ODESSA and BOMBAY, and take Cargo to Odessa, Trieste, Genoa, Marseilles, and all other Continental Ports, as well as to London and Liverpool.

In accordance with the above, the Steam Ship NACHIMOFF, 400 Horse Power, 2,210 tons, Captain Gerkke, will be despatched from here on or about the 1st of April.

Particulars for the Passenger Service will be published hereafter. For Freight apply to

H. BONNAUES, TOUCHE, & Co., Agents,
Russian Steam Navigation, Trading, & Odessa Railway Company,
21st February 1871.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH ITALY.

(Via Suez Canal).

THE ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co. have established a regular service between GENOA and BOMBAY, by a monthly line of steamers (via the Suez Canal), leaving

GENOA	BOMBAY
on the 24th,	and on the 1st

of each month,

And calling at the following intermediate stations, viz:—

On the Outward voyage at Leghorn, Naples, Messina, Port Said, Suez, and Aden; on the Homeward voyage at the undermentioned ports.

PASSENGER RATES,

(Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Canal.)

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
To Aden	£22	£15	£4
Suez	32	21	8½
Port Said	38	24	9
Alexandria	39	25	9-10
Messina	45	29	12
Naples	47	33	13
Leghorn	50	34	14
Genoa	50	34	14
Marseilles with transhipment at Genoa	52	35	14-10

Including Wines at Table.

Without Food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge.

Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Independent of this (Indian) line, the Company run Mail Steamers, under contract with the Italian Government, on the 7th, 17th, and 27th of each month, from ALEXANDRIA to GENOA, touching likewise at Messina, Naples, and Leghorn.

Passengers by this Company's Steamers are allowed to break their voyage at any of the above named ports, and may resume it at pleasure by any of the Company's vessels.

Passengers returning within 6 months of their departure from Bombay by the Steamers of the Company are entitled to a reduction of 20 per cent. on the Return Fare.

Berths may be secured in advance by depositing half the amount of Passage Money.

Cargo.

In accordance with the above, the undermentioned Steamers are fixed to leave Bombay as follows:—

ARABIA, on WEDNESDAY, 1st of March.
PERSIA, on SATURDAY, 1st of April.
INDIA, on MONDAY, 1st of May.

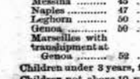
The exact hour of departure will be fixed and published a day or two previous to sailing.

For Hand-books of Information, Rates of Freight, &c., apply to
VOLKART BROTHERS,
Agents Rubattino Steam Navigation Company.

Bombay, 10th February 1871.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

MONTHLY LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE VIA SUEZ CANAL.



THE Company intends to despatch every month a Steamer from TRIESTE to BOMBAY and *vice versa*.

The SPHINX, 1,400 Tons, will be despatched from Bombay about the 28th March, and the APIS, 1,400 Tons, about the 1st May. These Steamers have limited accommodations for a small number of Passengers. The rates for Cabin Passengers include food and table wine to Port Said, Egypt, and free transhipment of 2 cwt. luggage. For Baggage in excess of £4 per Ton is charged.

PASSENGER RATES FROM BOMBAY:

To	Cabin.	Deck with Food
To Aden	£16	£ 7-13
To Suez	£22	£13- 7
To Port Said	£23	£14- 6
To Trieste	£40	£19- 0

Cargo taken for Trieste, also for Venice, Constantinople, and Odessa, Aden, Egypt, England and the Continent generally.

There is also a weekly service by MAIL STEAMERS between Alexandria and Trieste, and *vice versa*, in conjunction with the P. & O. Co.'s Mail Steamers to and from Suez. The Austrian Lloyd's Mail Steamers leave Alexandria direct for Trieste immediately after the arrival of the Bombay and Calcutta Mails from Suez. The distance between Alexandria and Trieste is 200 miles shorter than that between Alexandria and Marseilles, and the voyage to Trieste is much more agreeable, it being a coasting trip full of variety of beautiful scenery from the Island of Candia to the Port of Trieste. The passage rate comprises only 4½ days, and the Company's best Steamers are employed on this line, which are built expressly for this service, with special regard to the accommodation and comfort of passengers, and each an experienced Surgeon on board. At Trieste the travellers to England has an extensive choice of picturesque and interesting routes, among which those by the Brenner or Tarvis, occupying from three days and a-half to five days to London, at an expense varying from £7 to £13.

Passengers by the P. & O. Co.'s steamers to Suez can have their baggage forwarded by that Company's steamers from Alexandria to Southampton, at a charge of 10s. per cwt., for the regulated allowance of 4 cwt., and of 20s. per cwt. for excess weight, (both exclusive of transit through Egypt), to which the Austrian Lloyd's Agent at Suez will attend.

The undersigned grants also passage tickets for the steamers plying between Alexandria and Trieste, and for the railway between Suez and Alexandria.

PASSENGER RATES FROM ALEXANDRIA to TRIESTE.

First Class ..... £13 | Second Class ..... £9.

Children under 10 years at Half Fares, under 2 years, Free.

REDUCED FARES FOR FAMILIES, consisting of not less than 3 adult members travelling together: First Class, £10-16 per head; Second Class, £7-10 per head.

Personal Baggage allowed Free: 1st Class 200 lbs., 2nd Class 130 lbs., overweight 10c. per 100 lbs.

Railway tickets, from SUEZ, to ALEXANDRIA, with all the privileges of passengers by the P. & O. Co:—First Class, £3; Second Class, £2. Children over 3 and under 10 years at Half Fares. Free Baggage 1st Class 3 cwt., 2nd Class 200 lbs., overweight 7s. per cwt.

In conjunction with the Austrian Lloyd, Cargo for Trieste and Venice can be booked through from Bombay by the P. & O. Co., and the Bombay and Bengal Steam Ship Co., and via Bombay from the various ports touched at by the steamers of the British India Steam Navigation Company.

TRANSHIPMENT SERVICE AT PORT SAID.

GOODS for Trieste, Venice, Odessa, and Ports on the Syrian, Turkish and Greek Coasts, shipped by Steamers under any Flag whatever from Japanese, Chinese and Indian Ports bound to Mediterranean or British Ports, via Suez Canal, are received and transhipped by the Austrian Lloyd's Agent at Port Said, and forwarded to their destination by the Company's regular lines of Steamers.

For further particulars, and for freight and passage apply to the Agency of the Austrian Lloyd's Steam Navigation Company.

A. C. GUMPERT, Manager.

Bombay, 2, Ash Lane, 20th February 1871.

SHIPPING.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

ADRIATICO ORIENTALE COMPANY.

THE undersigned are prepared to issue THROUGH TICKETS from SUEZ to BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, NAPLES, ROME, BOLOGNA, FLORENCE, TURIN, SUSA, VERONA, CAMERLATA, MILAN.

Steamers leave Alexandria on the arrival of the Mail from Bombay.

The passage from Alexandria to Brindisi occupies only three days, and the through journey to London about 140 hours, making a saving over other routes of about 48 hours.

On arrival of the weekly fast Steamer from Alexandria, carrying the Supplementary Indian Mail, an Express Train is run from Brindisi by the South Italian Railway en route for London, viâ Ancona, Bologna, Munich, Cologne, Ostend and Dover.

RATES OF FARE FROM SUEZ, INCLUDING TRANSIT THROUGH EGYPT.

1st Class. 2nd Class.	1st Class. 2nd Class.
To BRINDISI ... Rs. 140 Rs. 100	To ROME ... Rs. 158 Rs. 109-8
„ VENICE ... Rs. 158 Rs. 108	„ MUNICH. Rs. 209 Rs. 153-0

For rates to other towns apply to

STEARNS, HOBART, & Co.,
Bombay, 11th January 1871. Agents.

FOR LONDON.

(TO FOLLOW THE NELSON.)

THE A 1 Iron Clipper Ship VARUNA, 1,318 tons register, John C. Clark, Commander.

This Vessel is daily expected, having left Galle on 9th instant, and will meet with quick despatch.—For Freight and Passage apply to

W. NICOL & Co.

Bombay, 17th February 1871.

FOR LONDON, WITH DESPATCH.

MESSRS. JOHN WILLIS and SON'S Magnificent Teak-built Ship THE TWEED, A 1 15 years, 1,745 tons, William Stuart, Commander.—For particulars regarding Freight or Passage apply to

SIR CHARLES FORBES & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 21st February 1871.

STEAM FERRIES (under contract with Government).—Steam Ferry Boats will ply across the Harbour daily, stopping at the undermentioned Bunders:—

Fares from Bombay to

Class.	Rewas.	Dhurumtur.	Oorun.	Hog Island.	Oolwa.
	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
First Class	2 0	3 0	2 0	2 0	3 0
Second Class	0 12	1 0	0 8	0 12	0 12
Third Class	0 6	0 8	0 4	0 6	0 9

The Rewas and Dhurumtur Ferry Steamer leaves Carnac Bunder daily at 8 A.M., and Dhurumtur at 1 P.M. The Oorun, Hog Island, and Colwa Ferry Steamer leaves Carnac Bunder daily at 8-30 A.M., and Oolwa at 1 P.M. Passengers are required to obtain Tickets from the Bunder Clerk previous to proceeding on board.

J. A. SHEPHERD.

No. 22, Rampart Row, Bombay.

STEAMER FOR SALE.—The undersigned will receive TENDERS for the Steamer SIRDAR, up till the 11th prox. But t of Iron in Bombay in 1865; 98 feet long and 16 feet 9 beam; 100 tons gross and 60 tons Register; Two Engines of 30 H. P. and no Boiler; as it lies in Malet Basin. Can be seen on application to Mr. McCANN, Flotilla Superintendent, Malet Bunder Workshops.

THOMAS ORMISTON,
Chief Engineer, Government Reclamation Works.
Elphinstone Bunder, 24th February 1871.

WE beg to notify the arrival of the Steamship GANGES from Liverpool. Consignees are requested to SEND their DELIVERY ORDERS, accompanied by Bills of Lading, for our inspection and countersignature, and to take delivery of their respective Goods from the bunders.

GREAVES, COTTON, & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 13th February 1871.

NOTICE.—Consignees of CARGO per Ship CITY OF YORK, arrived from Glasgow, are requested to despatch BOATS to TAKE DELIVERY, otherwise the same will be landed by the Captain at the expense and risk of the concerned.

This Ship having encountered exceptionally stormy weather on the voyage, and sustained damage in consequence, the cost of repairing which will form a General Average Claim, Consignees are required to sign the Average Bond now in circulation, and in forwarding Bills of Lading for our inspection and countersignature to accompany the same documents with a declaration of the value of their respective shipments, as well as a deposit on account of General Average equal to 1 per cent. on the value, pending adjustment of the statement.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 21st February 1871.

NOTICE.—Whereas it has been brought to our notice that the Commanders or Owners of Vessels proceeding to Europe, via the Suez Canal, are endeavouring to introduce the practice of carrying Cargo and Coals on deck, we the undersigned, Representatives of Marine Insurance Companies, do hereby give Notice that in the event of any such Steamer being lost or damaging any portion of her Cargo through such cause, we on behalf of the Offices we represent shall decline to acknowledge any liability in connection therewith.

REMINGTON & Co.
FORBES & Co.
W. NICOL & Co.
LUTHOME, STUART & Co.
CAMPBELL, MITCHELL & Co.
EWART, LATHAM & Co.
VOLKART BROTHERS,
O. NOLKE.
LYON & Co.
STEINHOUSE & Co.
FINLAY, SCOTT & Co.
GEORGE F. HENRY.
VIEGAS & Co.
LAWRENCE & Co.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MENESSE & COMPANY.

On THURSDAY, the 2nd March, Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will hold their usual Weekly Auction Sale, at their Rooms, of a quantity of Coloured, Grey, and White Piece Goods, Twist, &c.—

11 Bales Grey Shirtings, 9 lb
12 Ditto Ditto 7½ lb
9 Ditto Drill
5 Ditto Shirtings, 10 lb.

MENESSE & Co.

27th February 1871.

BENNETT AND COMPANY.

No. 5, Forbes Street.

AUCTION SALE of very Valuable Jewellery, Silverware, Gold Embroidered Shawls, and Miscellaneous Articles, by order of Government.

Messrs. BENNETT & Co., have been honoured with instructions from the Government of Bombay, to submit to Public Auction, at their rooms, on THURSDAY the 2nd proximo, at 1 P.M. the undermentioned Jewellery, &c.

8 Very valuable Pearl Necklaces with pendulets of Diamonds, Rubies, and Emeralds.
3 Ditto ditto Sirpeach set with Pearls, Diamonds, Rubies, and Emeralds.
1 Pair of Pouches set with Diamonds.
1 Pouch set with Diamonds, Rubies, and Emeralds.
7 Valuable Rings set with Diamonds, Rubbies, Emeralds, and Sapphire.
1 Valuable Pearl Kulgee set with Diamonds and Emeralds.
1 Pair Kurras set with Diamonds and Rubies.
1 Pair Gold Bangles set with Diamonds.
1 Gold Brosch set with precious Stones.
7 Gold Stars with ditto.
Handsome Catch-work Silverware consists of Jewel Boxes, Muffineers, Mugs, Scent Bottles, Rich Gold embroidered Shaw s, Gold Bordered Sheilas and Mundills, pieces of Kimkobs, one pair Nagpoor Dhotties, several pieces Broad Cloth, Rujaya, Jacconets, Mulls, Jamdanies, and Loongees and various other articles.

The above is now on view.

AUCTION SALE of valuable and handsome Household Furniture, Plated, Glass and Porcelainware, a first-rate full-toned English Mahogany Grand Square Piano by C. H. Shroder, &c., at Malabar Hill.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 27th instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at his residence, at the abovementioned place, the valuable and handsome Household Furniture, Piano, &c., the property of H. D. Dodd, Esq., and same comprises rich thin stem Glassware, Dinner, Breakfast, and Dessert Services, best Platedware, such as a set of 4 Dish Covers, Hotwater Curry Dishes, Cruet, Pickle, and Liqueur Frames, Ice Pitcher, Waiter, Table and Chamber Candlesticks, Cutlery &c., richly carved Blackwood Furniture, such as round Dining Tables, Side Board, Screens, Teatoys, Circular and Pier Tables, Easy and Drawing-room Chairs, Conversation Couches, handsome Drawing-room Carpet, Bronze Hanging Argand Lamps, first-rate Engravings in Maple and Rosewood Frames, a first-rate full-toned English Mohogany Grand Square Piano, by C. H. Schroder, English Iron Painted Bedstead, Camp Cots, Dressing and Washing Tables, Toilet Glasses, Wardrope, Gown and Cloths Presses, Chest of Drawers, English Towel Horses, first-rate single and double-barrelled Sporting Rifles in cases, Hunting Saddles, Dispense Articles, Cooking Utensils, Plants, &c.

Catalogues are published, and the property is on view from this evening.

AUCTION SALE of valuable and handsome Household Furniture, Plated, Glass and Porcelainware, a handsome English-built Circular Glass-fronted Miniature Brougham, by McNaught and Smith, a pair of fast-trotting Bay Arab Horses, a handsome English-built self-driving Phaeton, a Bay Arab Brougham Horse, &c., at Middle Colaba.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 28th inst., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at his residence, at the abovementioned place, the valuable and handsome Household Furniture, Carriages, Horse, &c., the property of Major T. H. Turner, Military Paymaster, the same comprises, rich Cut Glassware, handsome Dinner and Dessert Services, best Platedware, such as Hotwater Curry Dishes, Cruet and Liqueur Stands, Bread Basket, Butter Pot, a Mahogany Case containing a set of Electro-plated King's pattern Spoons and Forks, Cutlery, &c., handsomely Carved Blackwood Furniture, such as round Dining Table, set of Camp ditto in 2 pieces, Sideboard, Circular, Pier, and Card Tables, Drawing-room Chairs, Centre Ottoman Whatnots, Tea Poys, Camp Cots, Dressing and Washing Tables, Toilet Glasses, Clothes and Gown Presses, Chest of Drawers, Mahogany Cheval Glass, Gentleman Writing Table, Dispense Articles, &c.

At 2 P.M.,

A handsome English-built Circular Glass-fronted Miniature Brougham, by McNaught and Smith, with a Bay Arab Horse and Harness.

A ditto ditto Mail Phaeton with a pair of fast-trotting Silver Grey Arab Horses, and set of plated mounted Harness, &c.

No Catalogues and the Property is now on view.

AUCTION SALE of PANWELL BRICKS.

On THURSDAY the 2nd proximo, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Pubic Auction, at Moody Bay and Camalapoora, by order of the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, a large quantity of Bricks, manufactured at the Municipal Factory at Panwell.

The above will be sold in convenient lots to suit purchasers.

AUCTION SALE of very valuable and handsome Household Furniture, best plated rich Crockery and Glassware, a full-toned English Rosewood seven octave Drawing-room Grand Piano by Broadwood and Sons, a first-class English-built remarkably light Miniature Barouche by E. Resterton, an English-built light C Spring Buggy, by McNaught and Smith, a pair of handsome well-matched Chesnut and Grey Arab Horses, massive Dorez Illustrated Works, Bibles, Atlas, Paradise Lost, Vivien Guin vere, Plants, &c., at Cumballa Hill.

On MONDAY, the 13th, and TUESDAY, the 14th proximo, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at his residence, at the abovementioned place, the very valuable and handsome Household Furniture, Piano, Carriages, Horse, &c., the property of Dr. Sylvester, changing residence, to No. 95, Malabar Hill.

Full particulars will be given hereafter. Catalogues will be published, and the property on view 8 days before the day of sale.

Bombay, 27th February 1871. BENNETT & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROGRAMMES OF THE BOMBAY YACHT CLUB REGATTA, THIS DAY,

PRICE FOUR ANNAS EACH,

May be had at the "Bombay Gazette" Office, Medows Street, and at Hammond's, Apollo Bunder, &c.

NOTICE.—PASSENGERS by RUBATTINO'S S.S. ARABIA, Captain Cracco, are requested to be on Board by 8 A.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 1st of MARCH 1871. The Steamer will sail punctually at 9 A.M.

VOLKART BROTHERS,
Agents, Rubattino Steam Navigation Company.
Bombay, 25th February 1871.

NOTICE.—Consignees per ship MONGYNE, arrived from RANGOON, are requested to despatch BOATS to take DELIVERY of their respective GOODS, otherwise they will be landed by the Captain without further intimation at the risk and expense of the concerned.

Consignees are further requested to send their Delivery Orders, accompanied by Bills of Lading, for our inspection and countersignature and to pay freight immediately.

FINLAY, MUIR, & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 27th February 1871.

NOTICE.—The BANK, H. M.'s TREASURY, CLOSED on MONDAY the 6th proximo, on account of the Hoolee Holidays.

By order of the Directors,
M. BALFOUR,
Secretary and Treasurer.

New Bank of Bombay, Limited, Bombay, 25th February 1871.

NOTICE.—The OFFICE of the NATIONAL BANK of INDIA, Limited, has been REMOVED to the Bank's new premises in RAMPART ROW, opposite the Government Currency Office.

National Bank of India, Bombay, 27th February 1871.

MERCHANTS having PAYMENTS to make in KHANDEISH, may save the EXPENSE and RISK of making CASH REMITTANCES by paying the money into the Bombay General Treasury and taking a Receipt for the amount, which should be forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Treasury, Dhoolia, who will issue orders on any of the Khandeish Local Treasuries for the amount paid into the Bombay Treasury.

L. ASHBURNER, Collector.

IN the HIGH COURT of JUDICATURE at BOMBAY.—Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

In the matter of Act XXVIII. of 1865 of the Legislative Council of India, and in the matter of DHUNJEEBHOY EDULJEE and SKIRSEY, Solicitors for the said Traders. I do order that the said Traders be DISCHARGED under the Provisions contained in Sections XXIII. and XXIV. of Act XXVIII. of 1865, unless good and sufficient cause be shown to the contrary on the Thirteenth day of March 1871 at 10½ o'clock A.M. in the Chambers of the Sitting Judge, and I direct that this Order be advertised in the "Bombay Government Gazette" and in two of the English and in two of the Vernacular Newspapers published in Bombay.—Dated this 25th day of February 1871.

L. H. BAYLEY.

MACFARLANE & SKIPSEY,
Solicitors for the abovenamed Traders.

CAUSE.—Very low, but original feeling more intense. Both faith and pity wanted. Write often. EFFECT.

DREHER'S VIENNA BEER in quarts in cases of 2 dozen, at Rs. 6 a dozen.

Apply A. BLASCHECK & Co.,
No. 10, Rampart Row.

THOMAS D. MARSHALL'S GENTLEMEN'S FIRST-CLASS BOOTS at Moderate Prices for Cash.

THE NEW ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE with Particulars of Special and Convenient Arrangements for Indian Residents. Post free to India.

GENTLEMEN'S ELASTIC BOOTS,

Calf for walking, or Patent Leather for Dress 21s., Hide Hunting Boots 45s., Morocco Slippers 7s. 6d. Orders should be accompanied by return boots or paper pattern of sole the size required, and Remittance crossed "Bank of England."

Prepaid orders, if over £5, sent CARRIAGE FREE TO BOMBAY, CALCUTTA OR MADRAS.

THOMAS D. MARSHALL,
192, OXFORD STREET, LONDON, W.

Just published.

MACPHERSON'S CIVIL PROCEDURE CODE. Fifth Edition, 1871. Cash—Rs. 16. Credit—Rs. 18.

THACKER, VINING, & Co.

MATHEMATICS FOR INDIA.—Just published by Dr. J. Y. Smith. Rs. 2-8—by post Rs. 2-12.

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CENTRAL PROVINCES GAZETTEER, Rs. 12-8.

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B.Aus.M. PAULINE
C.Aus.H. THE RED PRINCE (late "Satellite"), 3 years old, by Premier out of Edith, an imported thorough-bred English mare; selected for Mr. Field, and landed in India 15th August 1870.

} Maidens of last Season, and have given first-rate trials.

Also, at the same time and place, the following MAIDENS (if not previously disposed of) selected for Mr. Field by Mr. Ali Abdoola:—

B.A.H. UHLAN
G.A.H. PARIS
G.A.H. ELSASS
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B.A.H. VOLCANO
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C.A.C. DARKNESS.

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14,000	250	all	12 do.	Oriental Bank	440

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Do.	30 days' sight	99½
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10 years' do. do.	106
5 years' do. do.	103
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MILITARY.

ARRIVALS.—FEBRUARY 25.

Dymock, Surgeon, Medical Department, from furlough, from England.

Gray, Lieutenant-Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps, from furlough from England.

Welch, Lieutenant, 18th Regiment N. I., on duty, from Surat.

Thomson, Lieutenant, Royal Horse Artillery, on duty, from Kamptee.

Rostron, Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Horse Artillery, on duty, from Kamptee.

Howey, Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Infantry, from furlough, from England.

Cooper, Major, Bengal Staff Corps, on furlough, from ——

Rimington, Captain, Bombay Staff Corps, from furlough, from England.

Oliphant, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers, from furlough, from England.

Walker, Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Horse Artillery, on duty, from England.

Lang, Captain, Royal Engineers, from furlough, from England.

DEPARTURES.—FEBRUARY 25.

Kiernander, Assistant Surgeon, Medical Department, on duty, to Tanna.

Turton, Major, Hydrabad Contingent, to join, to Lingasoogoor.

Dallas, Surgeon, Bengal Medical Service, return on duty, to Lahore.

Holland, Colonel, Commissary General, on duty, to Poona.

Reed, Surgeon, 3rd Cavalry, to rejoin, to Hingolee.

Cooper, Major, Superintendent of Studs, on furlough, to England.

Cuppage, Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps, on furlough, to England.

Stiece, Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, on duty, to Ahmednuggur.

FEBRUARY 26.

Gray, Lieutenant-Colonel, Staff Corps, on duty, to Poona.

Welch, Lieutenant, 13th Regiment N. I., on duty, to Surat.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

By HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 25th February, 1871.

Staff Assistant Surgeon N. R. Wall is placed on general duty, Mhow Division.

The undermentioned officer returned to duty:—

Lieutenant C. Hay, Acting Assistant Superintendent of Police, Ahmedabad.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

Royal Artillery.—Quartermaster M. Robinson, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

Quartermaster G. F. Kirkham, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

Assistant Surgeon W. H. Jameson, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

3rd Hussars—Captain O. G. B. Cresswell, to the N. W. Provinces, from 15th March to 14th September, on private [illegible] from 1st [illegible] 1st April to [illegible] England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

[illegible] 20th Foot.—Captain J. Whitly, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

Bombay Medical Service—Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals J. J. Summers, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

Staff Assistant Surgeon D. C. W. Heather, to England, overland, to appear before a medical board.

Indian Medical Department.—Surgeon H. F. McGrath, to Bombay, on medical certificate.

Ordnance Department.—Sub-Conductor E. Gawthorne to Kurrachee, on medical certificate.

SHIPPING.

DAILY FREIGHT REPORT—25TH FEBRUARY.

			p. ton.
London	Cotton	£2 15s. 0d.	
	Cases	£2 0s. 0d.	,,
	Seed	£2 0s. 0d.	,,
	Iron Ships Cotton	£2 10s. 0d.	,,
	Wooden Ships ,,	£2 5s. 0d.	,,
Liverpool	Spyce Cotton & Coir bills	£1 5s. 0d.	,,
	Seeds	£1 10s. 0d.	,,
Havre	Cotton	No ship loading	
	Coffee		
Overland	Steamers	£3 10s. 0d.	
Liverpool	via Suez Canal	£3 12s. 0d. to £2 15s. 0d.	
	Steamer Cotton	Rs. 10 per bale.	
China	,, Opium	Rs. 25 to 30 per chest	
	Sailing Ships	Rs. 2 per bale	
Calcutta	Sailing Ships	Rs. 2 0 0 to 3 0 0 per ton	
Calcutta to Bombay		Rs. 16 and Calcutta Port charges	
Mauritius		8 annas to 10 p. bag nominal.	

ARRIVALS.

Feb	Vessel.	Commander.	From
25	Singapore (s)	Mit ell	London, Ja., 24.
	Sunbeer (s)	Shz.j	Bussorah, Feb. 11.
	Hongyne	Logan	Rangoon, Jan. 25.
	Flox (s)	Baker	Cawar, Feb. 21.
	Pearl (s)	Baldwin	Mandvie, Feb. 22.
26	Calcutta	Maxwell	Aden, Jan. 6
	Ipheita	Strickland	Liverpool, Nov. 7.
	Sarah Watson	Wade-man	Sunderland, Nov. 4.
	Sam Mendel	Murdoch	Liverpool, Oct. 31.
	Gladiator	Cornwell	London, Nov. 1.
	Springfield	Dought	Newcastle, Dec. 21.

DEPARTURES.

Feb	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
25	Lalla Rookh	Willis	Calcutta.
	Corings	Ross	Galle.
	Goolamar	Nacoda	Mozambique.
	De la (s)	Wilkinson	Aden and Suez.
	Phlox (s)	Baker	Coast and Goa.
	Ellen Good	Perry	Akyab.

The ship City of Cashmere, Bryce, to London via Cochin, obtained her port clearance on Saturday last.

The following vessels began to load on Saturday last:—Steamer Bushrer, to Malabar Coast and Calcutta. Ship Fazel Curim, to Penang and Singapore.

THE HOOGHLY.

ARRIVALS.

Feb.			
22	Burmah (s)	McKirdy	Bombay, Jan. 31.
23	Gryfe	Roberts	Liverpool, Oct. 26,
	Waverley	Spcon	Liverpool, Nov. 1.

DAILY IMPORTS.—25TH FEBRUARY.

FROM LONDON.

Sumatra (s), 2 cases English books, Atmaram Sageon & Co. 1 case English books, Chesson & Woodhall.

FROM SUEZ.

Nubia (s), 5 cases champagne, Payne & Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—25TH FEBRUARY.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Bennington, 12 bales wool, Ramdass Vassonjee.

Daphne, 146 bales cotton, Nuthmul Gowardhundass; 74 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers; 5 bales cotton, Hajee Ebram Woosman.

Duke of Edinburgh, 57 bales cotton, Ramdass Valjee; 400 bundles gall, Purshotum Narrenjee.

Maritana, 43 bales cotton, Oobhoya Chapsee; 100 bales cotton, Cursondass Gowardhundass; 60 cwts. horns, Peerbhoy Dawjee.

Bellona (s), 14 bales cotton, Moteclall Ratlee; 42 bales cotton, W & A Graham & Co; 100 bales cotton, Nursee Kessowjee & Co; 60 bales wool, Jumnadass Narandass; 21 bales cotton, Doongersee Gopejee; 50 bales cotton, G. F. Pim & Co; 100 bales cotton, Mumsookram Candass; 170 bales cotton, Beecherdass Amidass.

Westminster, 1,000 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

City of Brussels (s), 52 bales cotton, Tokersee Mooljee.

Golconda (s), 60 bales wool, Jumnadass Narandass.

FOR LONDON.

Nelson, 20 bundles E teeth, Hussan Khan.

Golconda (s), 36 cases olibanum, Bapoomeeya Dost Mohomed.

FOR TRIESTE.

Mima Thomas (s), 150 bales cotton, Gaddum & Co.

De Ruyter (s), 200 bales cotton, D. H. Freck & Co.

FOR FALMOUTH.

Royal Visitor, 240 bales cotton, H. Chesson & Co.

FOR BREMEN.

Johanna Wilhelmine, 2,000 bales cotton, Kroop & Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Behar (s), 112 bales cotton, Nursey Kessowjee & Co; 74 bale cotton, Jairajbhoy Peerbhoy.

PROGRAMMES OF THE BOMBAY YACHT CLUB REGATTA, THIS DAY,

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BOMBAY YACHT CLUB.

NOTICE.—GUESTS, who have received INVITATIONS for the Flag-ship SEMIRAMIS, are requested to drive into the Dockyard at the Apollo Gate, opposite the Fountain, and embark at the Dockyard stairs, leaving their Carriages in the Yard. Steamers will leave the stairs at 1 P. M. and 1-20 P. M. punctually.

Ladies and Gentlemen, who have received Cards for the Second Flag-ship Earl Canning, are requested to embark from the Apollo Bunder, where a steamer will be in readiness to take them on board at 1 P.M.

HENRY MORLAND,
Honorary Secretary.

BOMBAY YACHT CLUB.

NOTICE.—On account of the LIMITED ACCOMMODATION on board the FLAG SHIP, by the kind permission of the Superintendent of Marine a SECOND FLAG SHIP will be moored in a suitable place, to enable Ladies and Gentlemen to witness the Regatta on the 27th instant.

Refreshments can be obtained from the Contractor on board on payment.

Tickets (gratis) for admission on board the Second Flag Ship can be obtained on application to the undersigned, at the Dockyard.

HENRY MORLAND,
Honorary Secretary.

Commodore's Office, H. M.'s Dockyard, 17th February 1871.

BOMBAY YACHT CLUB.

The following are the STATIONS of YACHTS and BOATS in the several RACES at the REGATTA on the 27th inst., as drawn by the Honorary Starters. In taking places, the several Boats will range themselves from No 1 next the Second Flag Ship (Earl Canning) towards the Semiramis, highest numbers next the Semiramis. Yachts and Sailing Boats to start from moorings of their own. For further particulars see Programme.

1ST RACE.—SHIPS' BOATS.

AT 1-30 P.M.

"Tweed" (No 1)	1	Blue and white red cross swallow-tailed
"Jordan Water"	2	Red pierced white triangle
"Pearl"	3	Blue and yellow pierced red ball
"Lough Daravarah"	4	White pierced harp
"Ida"	5	Red burgee
"Blue Nose"	6	White pierced red diamond
"Stalker"	7	Blue pendant
"Tweed" (No 2)	8	Blue and white red cross
"Simla"	9	J
"Mary"	10	No. 5 Marryat's Code

2ND RACE.—LARGE YACHTS.

AT 1-45.

"Ianthe"	1	Blue burgee pierced yellow lion
"Sea Queen"	2	Blue, yellow, red horizontal burgee
"Augusta"	3	Commodore's pendant, B. Y. Club
"Cinderella"	4	Blue burgee with white cross
"Water Queen"	5	Vice Commodore's pendant, B. Y. Club

3RD RACE.—CUTTERS AND SCHOONERS.

AT 2.

"Sea Bird"	1	Red with white Cross
"Oriental"	2	P. & O. Co.'s flag
"Othello"	3	Red burgee pierced with name
"Tiny"	4	Red pierced white diamond
"Devil's Own"	5	

4TH RACE.—LATEENS AND SLIDING GUNTERS.

AT 2-15.

"Sibyl"	1	Red pierced with name
"Psyche"	2	P. & O. Co.'s flag
"Erin"	3	Green pierced harp
"Emily"	4	Red and blue horizontal swallow-tailed
"Emerald"	5	Red and white burgee
"Sylph"	6	H. Commercial Code

5TH RACE.—DURBAH BOATS.

AT 2-30.

"William Broadfoot"	1	English Ensign
"Minnie"	2	4th Pendant
"Swift"	3	Blue and white red cross, swallow-tailed
"Live Yankee"	4	Blue and red with white star

ROWING MATCHES.

6TH RACE.—AT 3-30.

Scratch Match between—
"Tweed".....Blue, white and red cross. } If arranged, other-
"Tethys".....White pierced red cross. } wise no race.

7TH RACE.—DOUBLE-BANKED BOATS.

No entries.

8TH RACE.—5 OR 6 OARED GIGS.

AT 3-45.

Gig of "Tweed"	1	Blue and white red cross
"Faugh-a-Ball agh"	2	Green
"Kathleen"	3	Orange and blue
Mr Osborne's Gig	4	Red, white triangle
Gig of 5 s "Simla"	5	White with red cross
"Irish Lily"	6	Green
"Tethys"	7	White pierced red cross
"Alice"	8	Blue

HENRY MORLAND,
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BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

ANDERSON—February 24th, at Poona, the wife of Major H. S. Anderson, Staff Corps, of a daughter.

DEATH.

DWYER—February 24th, at Byculla, Helen, the beloved wife of Mr W. H. Dwyer.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

ADLEY—February 19th, at Peshawur, the wife of Surgeon-Major W. H. Adley, 15th Bengal Cavalry, of a daughter.

HART—February 20th, at 27 Elliott's Road, Calcutta, the wife of Mr. N. Hart, of a son.

LANG—February 17th, at the Manse, Sealkote, the wife of the Rev. J. F. Lang, Missionary, of a daughter.

LAWRANCE—February 20th, at Madras, the wife of Mr. William Taylor Lawrance, of a daughter.

WHARTER—February 17th, at Hauppur, the wife of R. E. Wharter, Honorary Assistant Surgeon, Stud Department, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

CONROY—FRANCIS—February 20th, at Agra, by license, at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, by the Rev. Father Conrad, assisted by Father Christie, Mr. J. W. Conroy to Miss Mary Anne Francis.

IRVING—GILLON—February 22nd, at the Union Chapel, Calcutta, by the Rev. W. J. Wilkins, George Irving, to Catherine Mary, second daughter of James Gillon, Esq., London.

MEARS—STALKARTT—February 21st, at St. Mary's Church, Ramalpore, by the Rev. J. C. Love, Allen Mears, of Monghyr, to Jane, eldest daughter of John Stalkartt, Esq., Tatteeah, Tirhoot.

THOMAS—BROUGHAM—February 16th, at St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, Captain C. F. Thomas, 6th B. L. Infantry, to Matilda, third daughter of J. P. Brougham, Esq., M. D., Presidency Surgeon.

TEMPLER—O'BRIEN—February 24th, at the Catholic Cathedral, Madras, by the Very Rev. J. Colgan, Captain F. Templer to Miss Harriet O'Brien.

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The Bombay Gazette.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1871.

IT is interesting to observe the efforts of the home journals to discover recondite causes for the utter defeat of the French. If the efforts were carried over a great interval of time, say half a century, there would be some excuse for those who make them; but they are mainly, if not wholly, applied to the series of events which have occurred since the 15th of July 1870. Now, apart from the deeper influences which have been at work in Germany and France since 1820, apart from the broader and deeper analysis which we should look for in a philosophical historian, the causes of French defeat actually lie on the surface, visible to all eyes. At the outset of the war two great regular armies were pitted against each other. Men might guess at their relative value; some deeply-initiated, cool, well-informed observers of both armies and military systems might form a sound opinion; but to the bulk even of thinking men it was doubtful which was the better. There was a presumption in favour of the vanquisher of Benedek, but then it was held that French marshals were as far superior to the Austrian commander, as the French was held to be superior to the Austrian army. The shock came; neither in manœuvring nor in fighting power, save at Wörth, did the French approximate towards their opponents; blunder followed blunder, and the climax was collapse on a gigantic scale. The regular army disappeared from the scene, or rather the bulk of it was transferred to the large towns of Germany. What remained? A number of fortresses, Paris, and the nation. But nowhere a trained and organized force, barely the materials for organization, especially in the shape of instructed officers—even arms and clothing were comparatively scarce; and in addition to this a new Government appeared suddenly in the capital, a Government of hazard, and took up the contest. Now, against this incoherent and inchoate mass of elementary or rudimentary power, a numerous, well-equipped, singularly well-composed and commanded Army was directed by chiefs of unusual ability. The French people, those of them who chose and those who were induced to fight, could not sustain a contest with the army whose surpassing excellencies we have briefly characterized. They came to the front only to be beaten; and if they were not pursued and ruined out and out, it was because there was a fixed factor in the war of unprecedented strength and magnitude. There was the entrenched camp of Paris. After Sedan, and after the natural refusal of the Germans to allow the weaker party to dictate terms, the whole of the operations of the invading conquerors were subordinated to the reduction of the capital. Since the 4th of September the resistance of Paris has been the very heart of the war. Take away that factor, and how different would have been the conclusion! The German armies would have gone through France as rapidly as the French under the Duke of Angoulême went through Spain. But Paris was there—really a stupendous power. It could not be taken by storm; we doubt whether it could have been taken by sap—a heresy, perhaps, in the eyes of engineers; it could only be taken by famine and feat—mainly famine. But famine was another word for time, and time meant opportunity for the untouched departments of France; opportunity to collect not only new levies, but the men on the rolls of the army, but not present or at the depôts; opportunity to use them for offensive purposes under favourable conditions. We say favourable, because the German armies were condemned, by the stand made at Paris, to a fixed and unalterable line of conduct. While one body kept Paris strictly invested and repelled sorties, other bodies had to cover the siege and the long lines of communication. To do this effectually and yet keep within reach of the investing army for mutual support, the covering armies were restricted from the attack and pursuit of troops organizing for the relief of the capital. They were bound to accept, they dared not make opportunities; and, indeed, until the advance on Le Mans the Germans on the Loire were fighting a defensive campaign. They could beat, but they dared not follow an assailant, not because they were unable to rout him, but because they were obliged to remain within a given sphere, subservient to the siege of Paris. Moreover, for two months, a large hostile army held out at Metz, in the very heart of the German communications. Thus the experiment of a popular resistance—that is, of native valour or native timidity without the support of discipline and organization—was tried under the most favourable conditions. The cause of its failure in Paris and out of Paris lies in the superiority of discipline and organization, led or directed by men of genius. The world's history abounds with similar examples from the days of Alexander to those of Von Moltke. It was the fortifications of Paris that prolonged the war—nothing else; it was the exhaustion of supplies in Paris that ended it. The immediate causes of French collapse were, then, the inferiority of Louis Bonaparte and his generals and his troops, and the inability of popular resistance to overcome trained armies. The first was to some extent a matter of what we call chance; the latter was not chance, and unless we recognize it, so far as England is concerned, the gravest lesson of the war will have been taught in vain. No one can produce men of genius to order, but the example of the Emperor William shows how an ordinary man, well-supported, can produce a powerful, an almost perfect army; and history shows how good troops are capable of retrieving the grave blunders of really able men.

THE late order directing five batteries of Horse Artillery to embark for England early in March, and without relief, has caused a good deal of speculation, and various are the reasons assigned by different parties for the sudden move. Some fear amalgamation of brigades of Horse Artillery in India, others reduction; but with a determined demand at home for a large augmentation to our Field Artillery, and with statesmen and the press demanding this increase without delay, we think these fears premature. The Indian Government has for some time back been anxious to reduce the Field Artillery in this country, and it seems only natural to us that the Home Government, knowing this, should try and secure a good serviceable article (like five batteries of Horse Artillery) at a cheap rate of transfer, rather than commence *de novo* to manufacture such. We need hardly point out what small force of ten batteries of Horse Artillery now scattered throughout the United Kingdom. All they will require on arrival to make them ready for instant service will be guns and horses, which should be ready to hand to meet them on disembarkation. We take it these batteries merely precede the remaining portions of their several brigades, and by the end of the year we shall see the whole of the D. and E. Brigades R. H. A. under orders for England. The C. Brigade R. H. A., having served six years at home, will be coming out then in relief of the D. Brigade, which is the next of the old Indian brigades for home service. This exchange would, however, make no increase to the Horse Artillery at home, and we take it the E. Brigade will be ordered home to provide this, thus relieving the Indian Government of the Field Artillery they want to dispose of, and at the same time giving the Home Government a serviceable, ready-made force in lieu of leaving them to raise one.

By this arrangement, the reliefs of Horse Artillery, now a very difficult matter, will be simplified, as half the brigades will be at home and half in India. Transfers of a few batteries to equalize the different brigades may be necessary, but this will easily be arranged. Instead of looking on the present sudden order for five batteries to embark for England as threatening amalgamation or reduction for the old Indian brigades of Horse Artillery, we trust that bright prospects and a fair share of home service may be looming in the distance for those who have hitherto had nothing but a long and weary residence in India to look forward to, cheered with a knowledge that of late years it has become the custom to deny them all the benefits of service, pension, &c., granted to their old brethren of the Indian and their new brethen of the Royal services.

THE MAHARAJAH OF JEYPORE arrived in Calcutta on Tuesday last.

COLONEL PENNYCUICK, C.B., has been appointed to the command of the Nynee Tal Depôt.

THE CHIEF OF WANKONERS proceeded on a pilgrimage to Benares last week.

THE RAJAH OF DHURUMPORE, in the Surat collectorate, intends to establish a library at that station.

H. H. MULHARAO intends to open a printing press at Baroda, and the management of it has been entrusted to a Deccanee Hindoo.

MR. FORSYTH was to leave Lahore last Wednesday en route to England. He is likely to return to India at the expiration of six months.

We regret to learn from the "Englishman" that Dr. W. W. Hunter has met with a severe accident, owing to the upsetting of his carriage over a bridge near the Cynthia Railway station.

THE Government of India has sanctioned an outlay of about Rs. 9,000, to enable Dr. Hunter to take castings, mouldings, and photographs of antiquities, in the Presidency of Bengal.

MR. W. A. RAIKES, B.A., of Oriel College, Oxford, and Lincoln's Inn, Barrister-at-Law, has been enrolled as an advocate of the High Court, N. W. Provinces.

MAJOR-GENERAL J. T. GRANT, C.B., commanding the Poona Division, returned to Poona from Ahmednuggur (from his tour of inspection) on Friday, and resumed command of the station from Colonel S. Whitehill.

IT has been decided, we learn from the "Pioneer," to proceed at once with the continuation of the Delhi and Rewarree State Railway, from Rewarree through the Ulwar State, to join the Agra and Ajmere line near Bewai.

COLONEL TOUCH, the Judge Advocate General at Madras, is about to take three months' leave on medical certificate to the Neilgherries, and at the end of that time will join the head-quarters of H. E. the Commander-in-Chief at Ootacamund.

COLONEL PROBYN has declined the Peshawur Brigade, and Colonel Wilson, Deputy Adjutant General, Bengal, has been telegraphed for to England to fill the appointment. Colonel Holmes will, it is believed, succeed Colonel Wilson as Deputy Adjutant General.

THE "Pioneer" learns by telegram from Simla that the Chief Court of Lahore has ordered the release of Mr. O'Connor, pending appeal. This is the case of the house proprietor who was imprisoned for non-compliance with an order in regard to alterations in a road.

A SEETAPORE news-writer says that Mrs. Speedy, wife of the guardian of Master Alamayou (Theodore's son), is going to Europe this month; and that the young gentleman in question is to be put to school at one of the hill stations, Mussoorie most probably.

THE "Englishman" understands that Calcutta is about to lose Mr. James Wilson, the energetic editor of the "Indian Daily News," who is leaving India for the benefit of his health. The inhabitants of Hastings have taken the opportunity of the occasion to testify their regard for Mr. Wilson by presenting him with a silver ink-stand.

COLONEL HAY CAMPBELL, Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Factory, Madras, has been compelled by ill-health to apply for leave to England for two years, on medical certificate. Major Henegan, R. A., Commissary of Ordnance, now in charge of the Arsenal, will probably be appointed to act for Colonel Campbell at Vepery.

THE junior Civilians of the Madras Presidency, who recently memorialised the Secretary of State on the subject of their grievances, have resolved not to prosecute the memorial, as the revised rules enucede its principal prayer, namely, that the minimum furlough allowance should be restored to the old rate of £500 a-year.

THE late Mr. Edward Locot, of Madras, bequeathed in his will Rs. 10,000 to each of the five following Roman Catholic Missions, viz., Madras, Mysore, Madura, Pondicherry, and Coimbatore, and Rs. 6,100 to different minor charities, or Rs. 56,100 in all, in aid of the religious and benevolent institutions of his church in South India.

IT is reported that Lieutenant General McCleverty, the Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army, will shortly take six months' leave to Europe on medical certificate, in which case Major General Borton, C. B., will act for His Excellency. Colonel Colin Mackenzie, C. B., will then probably retain the acting command of the Mysore Division, should he care to be actively employed.

A DIVORCE case, Stewart vs. Stewart, which has for some weeks furnished the gossips of Calcutta with abundant material for their invention and speculation, was to have been brought forward at the Calcutta High Court on Monday. To the evident disappointment of some who had come early to obtain a vantage ground for hearing, it was found to have been postponed. It is believed that an effort is being made to bring about some amicable understanding.

IT was intended to retain in India the drivers of the two batteries of Royal Horse Artillery ordered home from the Madras Presidency, but the men having respectfully memorialised the military authorities not to be separated from their batteries, a telegram has been received from home ordering that those who wish to return to England with their batteries are to be allowed to do so. All, except five in the two batteries referred to, have elected to go home.

SOME changes have been made in the Lieutenant Governor's route, N. W. P. His Honor will leave Mirzapore for Gopeegunge on the 1st proximo will be at Barode on the 2nd, at Sydabad on the 3rd, at Jhoosee on the 4th and 5th, reaching Allahabad on Monday, the 6th. The Lieutenant-Governor will not leave for the hills until June or thereabouts. Lady Muir will, however, honour Allahabad only until the end of March.

SOME news regarding the Russian occupation of Samarkand is published in the Lahore paper. The troops who are in the city have behaved to the people of the district generally with considerable moderation. They are said, however, to be on particularly bad terms with shopkeepers, with whom they continually quarrel. A, Jew named Abdool Rahmon was recently killed in one of these brawls, and the murderer, a Russian soldier, was arrested, but soon restored to liberty without punishment.

IN the Swat country, the Wahabees are said to be increasing in influence and audacity. Akhoond Sahib goes to the Musjid every day to make inquiries from the travellers who happen to come there. On the 15th of February, a traveller arrived there. Akhwand Sahib asked him what was his religion; he replied, Wahabee. At that Akhwand Sahib remained silent, but one of his servants smote him dead on the ground. Four of the murdered man's relatives, it is said, have started from Peshawur to be avenged on the murderer.

THE proposal made by the Government of India for creating a separate office of Secretary to that Government in the new Agriculture Department, has, says the "Indian Daily News," been submitted to the Secretary of State for sanction. It is [illegible] that the Secretary in the Legislative Department. An Assistant Secretary is also to be appointed on a salary of Rs. 700 or 800 a month, with a Registrar on Rs. 500 per mensem, to superintend the subordinate establishment of the new Secretariat.

THE "Indian Daily News" hears that "a proposal has been made to levy a stamp fee upon certain classes of telegraphic messages. When a person residing at a distance makes any sort of application to a judicial court by telegraph, a stamp duty should be levied on the said telegrams. The amount of the value of a stamp paper, which would have been required, had he made the same application personally in Court, would be levied upon the telegram he sends. As such telegraphic messages cannot be previously stamped, an equivalent sum should be paid for them."

AMONG the captives carried off by the Looshais from Alexanderpore is the young daughter of Mr. Winchester, who was killed at the first outbreak. His child is, so a cooly who escaped from the Looshais says, very kindly treated by her captors, who carry her in their arms, feed her twice a day on roasted rice mixed with *ghee*, and give her eggs once a day. She is said to be very fair-skinned and intelligent, and from the careful treatment it is evident that the Looshais place no small value on her possession. An interesting letter in which this incident is told appears in another column.

A PRIVATE letter from Paris, dated the 16th Jan., and published by an Indian contemporary, illustrates the straits to which "besieged residents" were reduced:—

"We eat coarse bread, but still we have some. The cold is very sharp, so that all firewood has been put into requisition. We have to stand hours in the street to get the necessary food. Where is the time when we used all together to enjoy a rabbit? To-day one costs 30 francs, a hen 20fr., a chicken 35fr., a goose 70fr., a turkey 200 fr., one egg 2fr.; butter is not to be had; a pigeon 5fr., a cabbage 5fr.—is it not fabulous? Potatoes 2fr. a pint, a pound of donkey's flesh 8fr., a fat dog 50fr., a good cat 15fr."

THE Government of Bombay lately applied to the Government of India for a decision of the following points:—If an absentee on privilege is entitled to draw house rent or tentage, when he places his house or tent at the disposal of his locum-tenens, and the latter does not avail himself of the offer? If such absentee can draw house-rent or tentage when no substitute is appointed in his place? And if the ruling of the resolution of the 12th March 1869 is applicable to military officers in civil employ, and to uncovenanted servants? The Government of India has answered all three questions in the affirmative.

THE "Indian Daily News" hears that "a Resolution has recently been passed by the Government of India in the Financial Department, in supersession of a previous one, classifying officers of the several Secretariats under that Government, and regulating their travelling allowances when proceeding with the Governor-General to Simla. The Under Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries, who comprise the first class officers, are to receive, in addition to the *bond fide* travelling expenses for themselves, a travelling allowance for their families and children, viz., for a family Rs. 150, for a child above 12 years of age Rs. 50, and below that age Rs. 30, but in no case is the travelling allowance for families to exceed Rs. 600. On their arrival at Simla, such officers are also to receive a house rent allowance. The officers and assistants, drawing salaries from Rs. 300 to 700, will comprise the second class officers, and are to receive their travelling allowance as before, and on their arrival at the Hills, the usual Simla allowance. For the clerks and writers, who comprise the third class officers, a similar rule has been passed."

APPEARANCE OF CHOLERA AT BUSHIRE.

DR WRIGHT, Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, wrote to the Secretary to Government in the Political Department on the 20th instant, to the effect that intimation had been received by telegram that day from the Residency Surgeon, Bushire, of the appearance of cholera in all the surrounding districts of that town, and that particulars would doubtless be received by post, detailing what preventive measures have been adopted.

Government directed that the contents of the letter should be communicated to the Health Officer, the Commissioner of Customs, and the Government of India.

EXTRACTS FROM THE "DIARY OF A BESIEGED RESIDENT" IN BOMBAY.

ANGLO-RUSSIAN WAR OF 1881.

JANUARY 1, 1881.—The Russians are hourly expected. General Kuttheirheadsoff and Prince Kuttheirtailsoff are within half an hour's march of Coorla. The Russians took Calcutta, Madras, and Poona yesterday after five minutes' severe fighting, in which they were signally defeated by a native irregular regiment, with one officer.

JANUARY. 2—Bombay is disorganised. As all the officers in the army became lieutenant-colonels a month ago, they refuse to accept anything less than commands of regiments. The populace is dissatisfied. Russians within sight.

JANUARY 3.—It is discovered that there are no soldiers in Bombay. The officers are ordered by the Bench of Justices to report on the matter within ten days. The Bench of Justices appoint a Committee of Defence.

MEMBERS.

Military Commissioner	A. Cr - - f - - d Esq.
Commissioner of Public Safety.	The Convict Wh - - w -ll.
Commissioner of Commissariat.	Mr. Tr - - ch - r.
Commissioner of Barricades	... The Driver of the Steam-Roller (ex-officio).
Commissioners of Sewers	Drs. H - wl - tt and Bl - n - y.
Commissioner of Balloons	The Superintendent Colaba Lunatic Asylum (ex-officio).

JANUARY 4.—Russians supposed to be 500,000 strong. First appearance of Cossacks, who wash themselves in the main-drain. The Military Commissioner issues a proclamation calling on the Irrational Guards to "deserve well of their country," and to enrol themselves forthwith. One Parsee responds, but refuses to join on being informed that he is expected to fight. The Bench of Justices vote that he has "deserved well of his country."

JANUARY 5.—The Military Commissioner orders the captain of the ironclad Magdala to proceed to Matheran in his ship to reconnoitre. The latter, however, calls him a landlubber, and refuses. Sensation in Council, and the 4th Battalion Irrational Guard is called in. As it is only a quarter of a drummer boy strong, it is contemned by the captain of Magdala. The Bench of Justices vote that both have "deserved well of their country."

JANUARY 6.—A Russian spy caught. It is discovered that the committee are his father and mother (mâbâp), and therefore disqualified from trying him. The Commissioner of Commissariat announces that in consequence of the seizure of Bandora, he has only one stick of chocolate in stock. Price of fowls, Rs. 200 each; a healthy bandicoot, Rs. 350; a muskrat, Rs. 150. The gas-works blow up.

JANUARY 7.—The Military Commissioner issues a proclamation to the effect that if we can hold out one day longer, we shall "have deserved well of our country." More Cossacks. Main drain silts up.

JANUARY 8.—General Kuttheirheadsoff calls on Bombay to surrender. Military Commissioner replies that "Bombay will afford an example of heroic resistance to the world." "Bombay dies, but never surrenders," if possible.

JANUARY 9.—Military Commissioner holds a review of four battalions of the Irrational Guard, one drummer boy strong, on the Esplanade. The drummer boy rises *en masse*, and protests against being compelled to eat nothing. The native population demands an armistice. On being refused, it doubles its demands and requires *two* armistices. Is put down by the Irrational Guard.

JANUARY 10.—The Bench of Justices vote that the Irrational Guard has deserved well of his country. Some one asks, "Where are the Volunteers?" who have not been heard of since 1868. A specimen is discovered and placed in the Grant Road Theatre, admission 4 annas (nûkars and chôkras, half price).

JANUARY 11.—A Cossack spy caught and washed. Dies in consequence. General Kuttheirheadsoff announces that he will bombard Bombay. The Bench of Justices order twenty blankets to be wetted and placed on the shells as they fall. The steam-roller breaks down in Bhendy Bazaar, forming an impassable barricade. Bench of Justices

ITEMS.

General List, has been ope for two years, on rule 15 of the furlough

O'Moore Creagh, 25th been placed at the dis- of India in the Foreign

W. McMahon, C.B., been granted furlough n medical certificate, ous of 1854.

R. O'Kearny, M.D., has been allowed furlough to Europe for eighteen months, on medical certificate, under rule 15 of the furlough regulations of 1868.

ARRIVAL OF THE SINGAPORE.

The s. s. Singapore, which left the Downs at 4 P.M. on the 24th January, and came by the Suez Canal, arrived at Bombay at midnight on the 24th inst. We are glad to publish the following letter addressed by the passengers to the captain and officers :—

To Captain Mitchell and the Officers of the s. s. Singapore.

We beg to congratulate you on the safe and successful accomplishment of this, the first, voyage of the Singapore.

The speed, accommodation, steadiness in stormy weather, and general comfort, render the vessel all that can be desired, and especially adapt her for families moving to and from India.

We think the owners have been very fortunate in securing officers of so much experience, and especially would we tender our thanks to Captain Mitchell for his unvarying courtesy and kindness to us individually, as well as for the unvarying care he has manifested for the safety of the ship and passengers.

We would take the opportunity of suggesting to the owners that they would do well to empower the captain to remedy some defects in detail, which are chiefly the result of haste in preparing the ship for her first voyage.

(Signed.)

J. P. Sheriff, Lieut. Col., Bengal Staff Corps.
W. Howey, Lieut. Col., Bengal Army.
J. E. M. Howey, Captain, Bengal Army.
A. M. Lang, Captain, Royal Engineers.
E. M. Woodcock, Captain, Bombay Staff Corps.
S. Remington, Captain, Bombay Army.
Hen. Adolph Koenig, 55th Regiment.
Morris Birkbeck, Merchant.
Edward Birkbeck, Merchant.
David B. Lumsden, Teacher.
D. Fred Radcliffe, Merchant.
A. W. P. Mark, Merchant.
Francis A. Owen, Merchant.
J. N. Warter, Merchant.
Alfred Tannold, C. M. S.
J. Hewlett B. A., London Mission T. Society.
Jas. Smith, Baptist do. do.
Mrs. Rind.
Miss A. Rind.
Mrs. Login.
Miss Mary Calder.
Miss P. A. Fryer.
Mr. F. Stretch, G. I. P.
Mrs. Stretch.
Mrs. Ward.
Mrs. Hewett.
Miss M. Cooling.
Mrs. H. Lubelkau.

CRICKET.

Madras vs. Officers of H. M. S. Forte.

This match was played on the Chepauk ground on Friday last, the 17th instant, and resulted in an easy victory for Madras ; it must be owned however, that their opponents were excessively unlucky, and it would have added much to the interest of the match if time would have admitted of a second innings being played, when no doubt the "Navy" would have made a good stand, though long scores could hardly have been expected against the excessively good bowling of Messrs. Daly and Cox. The batting of the latter gentleman, as well as of Captain Prendergast, was much to be admired, and it is gratifying to find that Madras has "hitting" capabilities of a very superior order when occasion arises. Messrs. Beaufort and Gordon and Major Arbuthnot contributed upwards of 100 between them in very good style. Captain A. T. Cox's score of 130 however stands unrivalled, it being the longest score that has (we believe) ever been made on the Madras ground. The following are the particulars :—

Madras.					
Major Arbuthnot	...	Bowled	...	... Long	31
J. Oliver, Esq.,	...	Leg before wicket			
				J. A. Long	5
T. Gordon, Esq.,	...	Bowled	...	... Reade	32
A. R. Daly, Esq.,	...	Bowled	...	... Long	9
Capt Cox ..	...	C. Reade	...	... Long	130
Capt. Prendergast	...	Bowled	...	... Reade	89
R. M. Craig, Esq ,	...	Bowled	...	... Reade	11
R. Hill, Lieut	...	Bowled	...	... Reade	4
T. Weir, Esq.,	...	l b w	...	... Long	5
A. Beaufort Esq.,	...	Not out	...	...	29
J. Gordon Forbes, Esq.,		Bowled	...	... Reade	8
Byes ..	...	...	...	...	14
Leg Byes	...	...	...	...	3
Wide Balls..	...	...	...	...	10
					380

Officers of H. M. S. Forte.					
W. Fox ..	...	Run out	...	...	1
J. S. Hallifax	...	Run out	...	...	1
Hon'ble M. A. Bourke...		Run out	...	...	1
Capt Long	...	Caught Daly	...	... Cox	0
C. E. Reade	...	Caught Gordon		... Daly	0
A. B. C. Forsyth	...	Bowled	...	... Daly	0
R. C. Leader	...	Thrown out by Hill...			12
J. B. Kenning	...	Bowled	...	... Cox	0
F. S. Warren	...	Bowled	...	... Cox	0
T. Russell	...	not out	...	...	12
H. P. Buckner	...	Thrown out by Capt. Pender-gast...			1
Byes ..	...	...	...	...	1
Leg Byes	...	...	...	...	1
					31

—*Madras Times*, Feb. 22.

THE LOOSHAI RAID.

Extract from a Letter addressed to Mr. James Young by Mr G. G. Sellar, from Alexanderpore, Cachar, 15th February 1871.

Since I last wrote to you one of my coolie women escaped from the Looshais, and has given very useful information.

She was in a very exhausted state when brought into this garden by the guard from the Sylhet range, but rest and good feeding have brought her round rapidly.

She tells her story in a very clear and connected way, and answered all the questions put to her by Mr. Metcalfe (the subdivisional officer in Hylakandi) in a decided and most intelligent manner.

Her description of the raid and her escape is as follows.

She was in the coo'ie lines about noon on the day of attack (the 23rd), was caught hold of by two Looshais (she calls them Kookies), bound with cord and dragged along with the other prisoners a short way into the jungle. She says there were about sixty Looshais all armed with spears and daos, and that about ten or twelve of them had guns.

She does not know about the attack on Cutlecchurra that day, further than that three of the Cutlecchurra coolies were brought in prisoners that afternoon. She saw the burning of Alexanderpore bungalow and factory and the Looshais carrying the loot into the jungles during the afternoon. That night they all remained upon a high teelah, in a jungle, within a stone's throw of my bungalow teelah. At day-break next morning about guard one-half of the Looshais went off to attack Cutlecchurra, leaving the other half to guard the captives and loot. During the day three dead Looshais were brought in, and in the afternoon a hurried retreat commenced.

At first they went day and night at the foot of the high range, the Looshais made sacrifice. They killed an old bearded coolie and cooked rice on his body. They again made sacrifice when they reached the top of the range at the junction of the Pharees to Alexanderpore, and the one running direct north to opposite the Bengal Tea Company's factories. The victim this time was my head syce, Juggroo. Besides cutting his head off they otherwise mutilated his body in a shocking manner. Shortly after this a coolie was shot down, because he complained of the tightness of the cord he was tied with. In all seven coolies (including the Khansamaan's wife) were murdered on the march before she effected her escape.

The only reason she could assign for this barbarity was that they did not move along fast enough.

On the night of the eighth day she managed with her teeth to cut the cords that bound her, escaped, and hid herself in the jungle before daylight. At dawn she could see at a short distance four of the Looshais in search of her, and so terrified was she that her child would make a noise, that she stuffed a cloth into its mouth, which it shortly after the four men disappeared.

In four days' time she reached the new guard, which has been placed on the top of the range that forms the Cachar and Sylhet boundary (this is the track by which the Looshais came and went). She was so exhausted and so terrified at seeing armed men again, that she fell away in a faint, but the cries of her child attracted the attention of the sentinel of the guard, who immediately went to her relief.

She says they treated her very kindly, and afterwards brought her down to Barrykandy, with the utmost care. There she had every comfort and attention that could be devised, and in a couple of days was so recovered as to be able to stand the fatigue of being carried down in a doolí to the Hylakandy Thannah and examined by Mr. Metcalfe.

Of captives there were alive on the day of her escape six women, three men, and four children, exclusive of poor Winchester's daughter Mary and the three Cutlecchurra coolies.

Besides seven coolies murdered during the retreat, and nine bodies found and buried on Alexanderpore, including Ka Sing, the Cossia Sirdarree. There are other seven coolies who have never been seen or heard of since the 23rd ultimo.

One man came out on the Barrykandy Teelahs after having been *eleven days* in the jungle without food, except a handful of *cheera* (or parched rice) he happened to have tied up in his cloth while out pruning at the time of the attack.

"Sabeetree," the woman who escaped, says the Looshais are taking great care of Winchester's child. They carry her in their arms, feed her twice a day o roasted rice, mixed with goor, and give her eggs once a day.

She is an extremely fair and a very intelligent child, and from this careful treatment I would infer that they place no small value on the possession of her. The child of my khansaman was also carried away alive.

You would scarcely believe it possible that men could survive the fearful hacking and spear thrusts that some of the Cutlecchurra and my escaped coolies got. A strong jungle coolie of mine had three dao cuts on the back of his neck, two of which were three inches long and 1½ inch deep. He is being looked after at Bundookmara by the native dresser under the superintendence of Dr. Coulter, and is recovering so rapidly that I expect in course of another week his wounds will have completely healed up. But he is naturally of a strong constitution.

The Cutlecchurra coolies returned to that garden yesterday, and once they get settled down to work again I intend taking my coolies up to Cutlecchurra, where they will stay at night and work at Alexanderpore in the day time under the protection of a small guard that has been assigned to me.

I hope soon to complete arrangements for local Bengalee labour, and trust to have some new lines, &c., erected by the end of March.

Up to the present I have not been able to get a Bengalee to work in the place. The very name of Alexanderpore makes them shudder with horror, and those who now feel inclined to go are demanding double rates.—*Englishman.*

EDUCATION IN NATIVE STATES.

Letter of Mr. Peile, Director of Public Instruction, Bombay ; to the Secretary to Government in the Educational Department, dated December 1870.

I have the honour respectfully to invite the attention of His Excellency in Council to paragraphs 46, 47, 48, and 129—135 of my report on public instruction for 1869-70, and at the same time to submit copies of correspondence I have had with some of the political officers of this presidency. I have furnished you in each case with all the letters.

The position of the Director of Public Instruction in native States has never been clearly defined. He has no funds to administer in them, and the amount of his executive authority varies with the inclinations of the Political Agent and the Chiefs. I therefore approach the subject of education in native States with caution, and I earnestly disclaim any intention of dictating to the political officers the course they should pursue. I do not, however, feel myself debarred from submitting to His Excellency in Council a notice of the educational condition of the native States under his government, and pointing out that they differ very widely from one another in the progress made in this important matter.

In Kattewar, Kolhapoor, Kutch, Sawunt Warree, and Rewa Kanta, the most important step of all has been taken by establishing an inspecting agency,* and a graded system of schools. I think it unnecessary in this letter to notice the smaller States, many of which, however, are not backward in educational measures. I wish to confine myself to the larger States, because the point on which I would insist is the necessity of working on system, and on an adequate scale, wherever a State is of sufficient importance. I beg leave to refer to my report paragraphs 117, 118, both for the results obtained by systematic measures, and for the method which appears best calculated to secure success.

I would respectfully ask His Excellency in Council whether what has been done in the States I have named above, may not be done also in the States of which I have not been able to include the names in the last paragraph.

In Kutch that place stands the territory ruled by His Highness the Gaekwar. I invite contradiction if I am wrong, but I gather from many sources of information that the Baroda Government does not include public instruction in any way among the duties of its administration. If so, there are a million and a-half of people inhabiting a rich district in the midst of British Guzerat, for whose education no systematic measures are taken. I think that the Baroda Durbar might well maintain an inspector, and a complete system of schools of every grade, from a high school at the capital, and scholarships to connect the high school with the University. A new Gaekwar is about to ascend the throne, and I would respectfully submit that this is a happy opportunity to induce the adoption of this great reform.

I next point to the large area in the extreme north of the presidency, comprising the Mahee Kanta and Pahlunpoor, and containing more than half a million inhabitants. There are not a few schools in the Mahee Kanta, and the Acting Superintendent of Pahlunpore has recently been good enough to express much interest in the schools of that agency, but the means of regular inspection are wanting. Now I must point out that the inspecting officer in this country extends and fosters as much as he inspects. The young Rajah of Edur is a minor about 8 years old. There is an excellent opportunity of organizing a complete educational system in his territory. I would propose a Deputy Inspector on Rupees 150 for the Mahee Kanta and Pahlunpoor, and good Anglo-Vernacular schools at Sadra and Pahlunpoor, with a suitable base of primary schools.

In the Cambay State nothing systematic has hitherto been attempted. I believe that the Collector of Kaira would be glad to have authority of Government to press this duty on the Nawab. A small system of schools is alone needed, as the inspection might be done by the Deputy Inspector of Ahmedabad or Kaira.

The territory of the Hubshee is in the same position as Cambay. I refer to the correspondence appended. The Collector of Colaba might now be instructed to bring the subject before the Hubshee. The inspection could be undertaken by the Government Deputy Inspector, Tanna.

Finally, I beg leave to call attention to the vast area of native States surrounding Guzerat. In the other educational divisions no difficulty is caused to the Inspector by the duty of visiting the native States included in his charge, but the area of native States in Guzerat is estimated at 58,276 square miles. I propose therefore that for the proper educational supervision of this area (I speak of supervision only in technical matters) an assistant to the Educational Inspector, Northern Division, should be appointed and paid from the funds of the native States visited.

MAHEE KANTA.

From Lieutenant-Colonel J. Black, Political Agent, Mahee Kanta ; to Mr. Peile, dated 7th Feb. 1870.

I have the honour to acknowledge and to thank you for your letter, No. 3996, dated 24th ultimo.

In consequence of the late Chief of Edur having at his death, in December 1868, left the affairs of the talooka generally in great confusion, and a considerable debt to pay off, I have been unable to give so much attention to the educational wants of Edur and other talookas as I could have wished to do.

I approve of the suggestion regarding an Educational Inspector being appointed for this province, but such arrangements are more easily made in agencies that are constituted of large and compact talookas, the revenues of which are large and the tribute inconsiderable, than where there are small and straggling talookas with little revenue, heavy tribute, and a large Rajpoot, Bheel and Coolee population, and where the capital of the only large talooka contains less than 5,000 inhabitants including the Chief's followers.

From Mr. Peile ; to the Political Agent, Mahee Kanta, dated 19th Feb. 1870.

I have the honour in acknowledging receipt of your letter No. 142 of the 7th instant, to express a hope that I may be favoured by a further communication on the subject at some not distant date.

If the pay of an independent Deputy Inspector should appear too heavy a charge, I would suggest that the pay of the head master and 1st assistant of the principal English school should be increased sufficiently to secure able men, and that the head master should also perform the duty of visitor of schools in the province.

BARODA.

From Mr. Peile ; to Colonel J. T. Barr, Resident at Baroda, dated 7th March 1870.

I have the honour to solicit your favourable consideration to the following remarks."

In many of the native States of this Presidency education has now been established with an amount o definite system and organization little inferior to tha of the department under me. I may instance Kolha poor, which has its own high school, its deputy in spector, its training college, and its Anglo-Vernacular schools.

I have in no case attempted to claim any official authority over the administration of instruction in native States. Following the example of my predecessor, I have confined myself to the office of adviser, in which capacity I can communicate all the essentials of school discipline and management. This plan has succeeded in keeping the instruction in many native states uniform with that in British districts, so that students from the former may go up to our colleges at no disadvantage compared with the latter. I have also promoted a free interchange of educational employes which has lately been perfected by an arrangement for securing pension on account of educational service rendered to a native administration.

The Government of His Highness the Gaekwar now stands almost alone in having no relations whatever with this department. We inspect the Parsee schools at Nowsari and Gundevi, and a few I believe in His Highness' Kattewar possessions, but I am not aware that he has any department of education with which I could communicate.

This I think is greatly to be regretted. A supervising authority and an inspecting staff is the mainspring of educational progress. Should His Highness be willing to establish these the knowledge that education has the support of the Government will kindle that alacrity to seek instruction which I am persuaded is latent in His Highness' dominions as much as in our own adjoining districts.

If I may make a suggestion I would propose that some officer of intelligence and high character might be deputed by His Highness to frame a report on the present state of education in his territory which should be illustrated by a map showing the principal towns and villages with their population, and the existing schools with their quality and the numbers attending them. This done I would gladly depute my inspector in Guzerat or myself assist in sketching out an educational scheme for His Highness' consideration. An estimate of the cost of each portion of the scheme would be included.

[No answer to the above is published among the official papers.]

PAHLUNPOOR.

From Lieut.-Col. Disbrowe, officiating Political Superintendent, Pahlunpoor ; to Mr. Peile, dated 5th Nov. 1870.

As I feel it would be interesting to you to learn how education is progressing in this State, I do myself the honour to forward the following report.

There are in Pahlunpoor town two Government schools ; one for the study of Goozeratte, another for the study of English. I shall report regarding the proficiency of the scholars and the capabilities of the masters after an examination which it is my intention should take place about Christmas.

I purpose inviting the Dewan and his relations to be present at the examination, and to assist me in the distribution of prizes. No prizes appear to have been given for the past three years, and unless encouragement be offered, it is useless hoping for proficiency or zeal in study. The examination and distribution of prizes will take place in the political superintendency. After the examination, a feast will be given to the children who will be allowed to amuse themselves in the political superintendency grounds.

I cannot close without passing a few remarks respecting a Jail school I instituted on September 2nd this year. The school is flourishing, and is a source of the greatest gratification to me. The progress made by some of the prisoners has surprised every one. One of their number who knew not a letter of the alphabet on September 2nd, addressed me a petition written by himself on October 29th. It was presented to me on a slate, and so great was my astonishment and pleasure that I caused a copy of the petition to be taken. True copy I have the honour to attach. This petition was followed by a second one from another prisoner a few days subsequent. There are already eleven who can slightly read and write.

I purpose presenting rewards to prisoners who have either evinced great zeal or attained great proficiency. The rewards will not be given until expiry of imprisonment, and only to those who by good conduct deserve them. Rewards will consist of books, writing materials, and a small pecuniary sum in money, costs being defrayed from a Jail Fund I have instituted. Before the institution of the Jail school, I ascertained that out of over 200 prisoners two only could read and write.

My time has been so thoroughly occupied since my arrival as officiating Political Superintendent, that I have hitherto been unable to bestow the attention I desire upon education within my districts. Your letter No. 4,724 of 1869-70 has not been lost sight of. I shall do my best to induce the Dewan to furnish one-half the salary of a deputy inspector as proposed by you, and I am not without hopes of success. A definite reply on the subject will shortly be forwarded.

The Dewan has recently instituted two new schools, one at Deesa, one at Dhanera. Of these at present I know nothing.

From Mr. Peile ; to Lieutenant-Colonel H. F. Disbrowe, dated 18th Nov. 1870.

I have the honour to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter No. 365 of the 5th instant. I trust that under the influence which you can bring to bear upon the Dewan much may be done to place State education on a satisfactory footing in Pahlunpoor, and I shall await with interest the further communication which you promise.

JUNJEERA.

From Mr. G. Larcom, Political Agent, Junjeera, dated 30th April 1870.

With reference to your letter No. 65 of 1870-71, I have the honour to inform you that though there are no regular schools, such as there are in British territory, still there are classes, so to speak, in almost every village of Hubsan, taught by Pandits or educated Brahmins, in some instances by Parbhus, who are paid by the parents of the children taught, which payment is regulated by the status of the parents ; *i. e.*, when the parents are well off they will pay more for their child's education than when the parents are poor.

Regarding the question as to there being funds available for the purpose of founding schools, this agency has not the civil jurisdiction of the country under its charge, and without receiving direct Government orders that school funds should be raised, I must decline to interfere with His Excellency the Nawab of Junjeera's arrangement for the education of his subjects. This being the case, it is unnecessary to define what class or kind of schools are required for Hubsan.

RESOLUTION OF GOVERNMENT, DATED 24TH FEB, 1871.

Copy of this correspondence should be circulated to the Political Officers connected with the native States referred to. They should be informed that Government concur generally in the views expressed by Mr. Peile, and will look to them to use their influence with the Durbars, in order that the necessary steps may be taken in those native States where as yet no regular system of State education exists.

Copy of the papers should be placed on the Editors' table.

* Deputy Educational Inspector and two Assistant Inspectors, Kattewar.
Deputy Inspector and Head Master of High School, Kutch.
Deputy Inspector, Rewa Kanta and Panch Mahals ; Inspector and Master of the English School, Warree.

BOMBAY.

Mails for Zanzibar per buglow Sad will be closed at the General Post Office to-day (27th inst.) at 9 A.M.

Elphinstone High School.—We hear that a Persian teacher has been appointed for the Elphinstone High School.

Accident.—On Friday a boy named Meetha, employed on board the s. s. Madras, slipped from the ladder leading between decks and fell into the lower hold. He received serious injuries, and was removed to the Jamsetjee Hospital.

Theft of a Gold Chain.—At the Fort Police Court, on Saturday, Pathan Mahomed was charged with stealing a gold neck chain, value Rs. 50, the property of Jamsetjee Jeevanjee, and was sentenced by Mr. Nana Morojee to receive twelve stripes.

Programme of Music to be played by the Band of H. M.'s 19th Regiment N. I., at the Esplanade Bandstand this evening :—

March, "Mont Valerien"	Berr.
Overture, "Italians in Algieri"	Rossini.
Quadrille, "Minstrel Songs"	Godfrey.
Sel. (Op), "Gemma di Vergy"	Donizetti.
Waltz, "Soldaten Lieder"	Gung'l.
Galop, "Iris"	Faust.

Programme of Music to be played by the Band of H. E. the Governor at the Regatta this afternoon :—

March, "The Confederate"	Revieri.
Overture, "Nanoo"	Verdi.
Valse, "Kathleen Mavourneen"	D'Albert.
Selection (Op) "La Grand' Duchesse"	Offenbach.
Quadrille, "Royal Alfred"	Godfrey.
Selection, "La Travista"	Verdi.
Galop, "Nancy"	Musgrave.
March, "Rifle Brigade"	W. J. W.
Valse, "Galatea"	Brunette.
Galop, "Bon Soir"	Godfrey.

Remittances to Khandeish.—We draw attention to an advertisement in which the Collector of Khandeish announces that merchants having payments to make in Khandeish, may save the expense and risk of making cash remittances by paying the money into the Bombay General Treasury and taking a receipt for the amount, which should be forwarded to the officer in charge of the Treasury, Dhoolia, who will issue orders on any of the Khandeish Local Treasuries for the amount paid into the Bombay Treasury. The difficulty of making remittances to Khandeish has hitherto been a great obstruction to trade. No doubt the proposed arrangement will prove a convenience to merchants, and it will at the same time relieve the Collector of the heavy charges of escorting treasure to Bombay.

The Rev Mr. Cooper, of the Free Church Mission, Nagpore, has left for Europe. He has been 15 years at his post, and hopes to return after a brief furlough in his native air.—*Bombay Guardian*, Feb. 25.

Death of an "Inspired" Hindoo.—We hear with regret of the death of Brahmachari Bawa Vishnu, who held public discussions with missionaries in 1857. The account of these discussions was given in a volume published by Trach and Book Society entitled "Discussions by the Sea-side." The Bawa was by profession devoted to a life of austerity and celibacy. He wrote a book giving his views of Vedic religion, for which he claimed inspiration. He was a Pantheist.—*Ibid.*

Sentence Annulled.—Gungathur Balcrishna, a head accountant of the office of the Superintendent of the Irrigation Works at Kurruckwasla, and Pandoorung Narrain, head clerk under the Overseer of the above department, were sentenced by Dr. A. G. Fraser, the Railway Magistrate, to pay a fine of rupees two hundred and fifty each for receiving bribes from the contractors. On their appealing against the sentence of the Railway Magistrate, to R. White, Esq., the Session Judge of Poona, the sentence was annulled.—*Poona Observer*, Feb. 25.

Regina vs. Sharman.—This case stands traversed to the next Criminal Sessions with a view to enabling the prosecution to secure Mr. Howard's (the Executive Engineer) evidence on behalf of the Crown. But it seems Mr. Howard does not intend to return to India very soon, and the prosecution we think must proceed with the case somehow. The Government of Bombay has been informed by the Secretary of State for India that Mr. Howard has sent in medical certificate and would consequently be not able to be present when required. The Government has also been asked whether Mr. Howard's evidence should be taken in England. We think the evidence taken in England would be of very little use since the offence with which Sharman is charged is of an extremely complicated nature.—*Mirtoday*, Feb. 25.

The Admiral and the Pier Master.—The *Madras Athenæum* says—"We hear that Admiral Cockburn, who sailed from Madras on Saturday evening last in the Forte, was about 30 years ago Flag Lieutenant of the Winchester commanded by Sir Josslyn Percy, whom Sir Thomas Sadler, our present Pier Master, was one of the petty officers. Mr. Sadler made this fact known to the Admiral through one of the officers of the Forte. The Admiral made it a point to see his old shipmate as he was returning to the Forte, and not only warmly shook him by the hand but expressed the greatest interest in his welfare. Our Pier Master congratulated the Admiral on his advancement in the service and said he was proud to see his former Lieutenant an Admiral. We are told that something like the following words, by way of return compliment, escaped the Admiral's lips—'Ah ! well, if I have risen to be an Admiral, so have you, for you are Admiral of the Madras Pier.' We cannot vouch for the very words ; but there is no doubt that someting like the above came from the gallant Admiral's lips. Our Madras Admiral, be it known to our numerous readers, is about 62 years of age. Admiral Cockburn, we believe, is about the same age or, if anything, a little younger."

THE GROUNDING OF THE MIMA THOMAS.

The Marine Court, consisting of Mr. John Connon, Chief Magistrate, and Lieutenant G. O'Brien Carew, late Indian Navy, which conducted an investigation into the circumstances attending the striking of the steamer Mima Thomas on the southern part of the Chenja Shoal, in the afternoon of the 16th instant, while she was in pilotage charge of Mr. Pilot Jones, have made a report to Government. The Court did not read their judgment, the enquiry being a local one, and the court having no power to award punishment in a case like this. Probably the report will be published in the official *Gazette*, when approved of by Government.

BOMBAY SCOTTISH EDUCATION SOCIETY.

We have much pleasure in intimating that Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden, the master and mistress engaged in Scotland for the Bombay Education Society's Fort High School, arrived on Saturday by the steamer Singapore. Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden, we believe, commence teaching on Wednesday (1st March.) Mr. Lumsden gained a high reputation at Montrose Academy, and latterly at Liberton School, near Edinburgh.

THE INSOLVENCY OF N. C. RICHARDSON.

At the High Court on Saturday Mr. Justice Bayley disposed of a motion with regard to the estate of Mr. N. C. Richardson, of the firm of Richardson and Robson, Byculla Iron Works, Bombay.

Mr. Latham presented a plaint by Mr. Robson, which set out that Richardson, who is a partner in the Bombay firm, had become insolvent in England, being adjudicated an insolvent by the County Court of Northumberland. Mr. Greener had been appointed trustee of his estate under the England Bankruptcy Act of 1869, and had appointed Messrs. Macfarlane and Skipsey, solicitors, Bombay, as his attorneys for managing and winding up Richardson's affairs. They thereupon had claimed to be entitled to interfere with the affairs of the co-partnery into which plaintiff and Richardson had entered in 1864 and to restrain the plaintiff from conducting the business. He had been appointed manager of the business, in which he had a share, when Richardson left for England, and now claimed that he, and not the attorneys for the trustee of Richardson's estate, was entitled to conduct the business. He considered the co-partnery had been determined by Richardson's insolvency and, while willing that the accounts should be taken and the rights of each determined by the Court, held he was the proper person to be appointed as receiver. He prayed (1) that the partnership should be found terminated, (2) that the accounts should be taken and the rights of the parties determined by the Court, (3) that he should be appointed receiver for the co-partnery with power to carry on the business so far as might be expedient for the beneficial winding up thereof, and (4) that Mr. Greener and his attorneys and servants should be restrained from interference.

There being no opposition, the plaint was accepted and an order was made granting a rule *nisi* for a receiver and injunction as prayed for in the third and fourth paragraphs, and an interim injunction in terms of the fourth paragraph of the prayer. Counsel stated that all that would be wanted in this case was a decision on the rights of parties, the facts being admitted, and that probably both parties would apply to have the case heard as a short cause.

THE SUICIDE OF Mr. MOROBA CANOBA AND HIS WIFE.

The Coroner's inquest as to the above affair was resumed on Friday at the Coroner's office, when the following witnesses were called :—

Keeka Mitha, Mr. Moroba's ghorawalla, was the first witness called. In the course of a lengthy examination, he described his being told of the puggree being on the parapet wall of the well ; his going to the bungalow, which Mr. Moroba was about to rent, to search for him ; his throwing in the drags into the well, and drawing up the bodies to the surface of the water ; and the taking of the bodies out of the well. He afterwards said that Casinath had told him once that Bhoolecbaee had been going to commit suicide. In reply to the Coroner, witness said Casinath had told him no particulars about this, and he had asked nothing.

The Coroner—Don't you think it is strange of you to say you heard such a thing and did not 'ask for particulars ?

Witness—No, I did not ask.

The Coroner—Did not you ask if she had taken poison ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did not you ask whether she had thrown herself into a well ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Now, don't you think it is extraordinary that you should hear this and not ask about it ?

Witness—I did not ask.

The Coroner—Have you no curiosity ? Don't you think it unnatural that when you are told such a thing you should have asked about it ?

Witness—Casinath only told me she had come to the well.

The Coroner—Now, you are coming to it. Tell me everything that Casinath said.

Witness—Casinath told me that Bhoolecbaee had come to the well to comit suicide.

The Coroner—Well, that is something definite. Did you ask Casinath how he knew it ?

Witness—No, what need was there for me to ask him ? Casinath told me that Bhoolecbaee had come to the well to commit suicide and said nothing else.

The Coroner—Did he say what she did ?

Witness—No, he did not say.

The Coroner—You told me that Casinath said she had attempted to commit suicide ?

Witness—Yes.

The Coroner—Well, how ?

Witness—I did not ask him.

The Coroner—And he did not tell you ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he tell you whether she threw herself into the well ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he say she leant over the well ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he say that she stood on the top of the well ?

Witness—No ; he only said she had come to commit suicide.

The Coroner—He mentioned no particulars ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he say whether she was crying ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he tell you the cause of her coming to commit suicide ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Did he say anything about a woman coming into the house ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—How do you expect me to believe that you did not ask any questions ?

Witness—When he told me I was just about to take my meal.

The Coroner—And so you did not care about hearing that story. You would rather eat your dinner.

Witness—Ha! Sahib.

The Coroner—Now do you expect me to believe all that ?

Witness—I do not ask you to believe it.

The Coroner—I did not say you asked me to believe you, but did not he tell you anything else ?

Witness—He said nothing else, and what cause had I for asking ?

The Coroner—Now, remember you are on your oath.

Witness—Yes. I did not care to ask him for any particulars as to the reason why Bhoolecbaee wanted to commit suicide.

The Coroner—Well, from that day to this have you never spoken to Casinath regarding that attempt ?

Witness—No, I have never spoken to anybody about it.

The Coroner—Did you ever tell Khunderao ?

Witness—No.

The Coroner—Before he was married did Mr. Moroba keep a woman ?

Witness—Yes.

The Coroner—Whom did he keep ?

Witness—A woman named Radha, of the prostitute class. I have never seen Radha at the bungalow after the marriage. I know Radha by sight. I saw Radha in Mr. Moroba's compound when the bodies were taken out of the well.

The Coroner—Was she with difficulty on that occasion prevented from throwing herself into the well ?

Witness—I did not see that. I only saw her in the compound.

Witness—Mr. Moroba was formerly of a hot temper, but two or three months ago had become calmer. He formerly used indecent expressions but not lately. He used to abuse his servants when anything wrong was done. I never heard Bhoolecbaee quarrel. Bhoolecbaee was very fond of him. Afterwards when they went into the garden they walked together, arm in hand. I have never heard of any quarrel between them.

Rutna Khimjee, a Marwaree, grain-dealer, was next called. He had been in the practice of supplying deceased with grain, and last saw him on 30th January. Mr. Moroba was due to him about Rs. 200 or Rs. 275, and on that occasion he paid Rs. 30 and said he would pay the remainder afterwards. He did not then seem more depressed than he usually was when witness made a monthly call for payment.

Soonath Mooljee, an estate broker, who had some business with deceased, deposed that he last saw him by appointment on the afternoon before his death.

The inquest was at this stage adjourned till next day.

The enquiry was resumed on Saturday at Mr. Moroba's bungalow on the Gowalia Tank Road.

Captain Henry Mocland said—I am Government Agent for Transports and Assistant Resident Transport Officer, and live at Colaba. I knew Mr. Moroba Canoba. I last saw Mr. Moroba Canoba alive at about 12 o'clock, noon, on the 17th instant. At that time he came to see me. He told me that he was anxious to have an auction of his furniture on the ground floor of the large bungalow at Gowalia Tank Road, which he has lately leased to the Scotch Masons as a Masonic Hall. He also asked me to allow him to retain possession of this—the smaller bungalow in the same compound. He had leased these two bungalows to us at a certain monthly rent, and we had allowed him to retain occupancy of this at a rent of about Rs. 30 per mensem until the 1st of March. He told me that he wished, if possible, to be allowed to remain in this house until the new house which is in course of erection in the corner of the compound was completed. I told him I could not definitely promise him either of these things ; but that as we were to meet the remainder of the trustees at the regular office on the next day at 11 o'clock, I would speak to them and endeavour to have it arranged for him. He paying an increased rent for this bungalow. He then left. On a previous occasion he had mentioned to me that he was looking for a new house and told me on the Friday that he had not got one. I thought Mr. Moroba very eccentric on previous occasions, but on 17th he appeared perfectly cool and calm and collected.

Succaram Dhondoo, malee, lately in the service of Mr. Moroba Canoba, deposed that he last saw Bhoolecbaee alive on the afternoon of Friday the 17th instant, when she was worshipping gods in the cookroom of this bungalow, and last saw Mr. Moroba alive at 6 P.M. on the same day. Witness slept soundly all night. He did not hear any noise at all. If there had been a splash in the well he did not think he should have heard it as he slept very soundly at night. He worked all day long and was very tired when he went to bed.

Waman Gopal, a Brahmin cook, Waman Gopal and Rama Raghoo, household servants, Mooraree Arjoon, mussal, and Ramdeen Lassi, a sepoy—all formerly in the service of Mr. Moroba Canoba—gave similar evidence and spoke as to the recovery of the body.

The inquest was then adjourned till this day (Monday) at 2 P.M.

ROYAL SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY.

ACTION AGAINST THE DIRECTORS.

On Saturday Mr. Justice Green heard a motion in a suit brought by Mr. Nusserwanjee Ardaseer Wadia against the directors and secretary of the Bombay Royal Spinning and Weaving Company. The plaintiff sets forth that Mr. Kessowjee Naique had obtained control of the company by making over shares to nominees and so secured the passing of resolutions appointing directors and sanctioning a call of Rs. 100 per share ; and on Saturday the directors were called on to show cause why these resolutions should not be set aside. After hearing Mr. McCulloch for the defendants and Mr. Anstey for the plaintiff his Lordship reserved judgment.

SHIPPING AND PASSENGERS.

The ship Ophelia, 1,184 tons, Captain W. Strickland, arrived yesterday from Liverpool with a cargo of coals

The barque Monoyne, 735 tons, Captain Logan, arrived on Saturday from Rangoon with a cargo of timber.

The ship Glenduror, 992 tons, Captain T. Cornwell, arrived yesterday from London with a general cargo.

The barque Sarah Watson, 460 tons, Captain T. Waterman, arrived yesterday from Sunderland with a cargo of coals.

The ship Sam Mendel, 1,033 tons, Captain G. T. Murdoch, arrived yesterday from Liverpool with a cargo of coals.

The ship Springfield, 1,022 tons, Captain James Dwight, arrived yesterday from Newcastle with a cargo of coals.

The Transport ship Calcutta, Captain W. Manwell, arrived yesterday from Aden via Vingorla with the following passengers :—Twelve Europeans, six natives, and fifty lascars.

The s. s. Bushire, Captain Sharp, arrived on Saturday last from the Persian Gulf via Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers :—From Bunder Abbas—Mr. Slaite. From Bussorah—Six Mahomedans, 1st class passengers. From Kurrachee—Mr. R. B. Duncan, Mr. W. Payne, Captain Filgate, and Mr. Harris. And one hundred and twenty deck passengers.

THE 5TH LANCERS.

To the Editor of "Indian Public Opinion."

Sir,—Having seen in the columns of your paper of the 17th instant a most unwarrantable libel on the non commissioned officers of the 5th Lancers, I take the earliest opportunity of requesting you to contradict it. There has not been a single case of insubordination among the non-commissioned officers of the regiment since it was re-established in 1858.

The fact of some irregularities with regard to the management of the sergeants' mess having recently been brought to light, has, I presume, given rise to your statement.

Be good enough to publish this letter in the next issue of your paper, and to furnish me with the name of your malicious informant.—I am, &c.,

John Chaffey, Major, Commanding 5th Lancers.
Sealkote, February 19th, 1871.

[Note by the Editor of *Indian Public Opinion*.—"We very much regret that our paragraph should have been conceived by the commanding officer to be libellous and malicious, as nothing could be further from our intention. The statement reg

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		Cash. Rs. a.	Credit. Rs. a.
HAM, BACON, and CHEESE, Received Overland.			
Ham, Bacon, and Cheese, per lb.	...	0 14	1 0
Bath Chops and Tongues, ditto	...	0 14	1 0
BUTTER—			
Best Dorset Butter in 1 lb. tins, each	...	1 4	1 8
PRESERVED MEATS—			
Crosse and Blackwell, and D. Hogarth's			
Beef à la Mode, in 1 lb. tins, per lb.	...	0 10	0 12
Do Roast ditto ditto	...	0 10	0 12
Do & Vegetable ditto ditto	...	0 10	0 12
Do Corned ditto ditto	...	0 10	0 12
Mutton, Roast ditto ditto	...	0 10	0 12
Lamb and Peas ditto ditto	...	0 14	1 0
Mutton and Vegetable, in 1 lb. tins, per lb.	...	0 10	0 12
Do Scotch Haggis ditto ditto	...	0 12	0 14
Veal Stewed with Vegetable ditto	ditto	0 12	0 14
Do Do Green Peas ditto	ditto	0 12	0 14
Do boiled with Vegetable ditto	ditto	0 12	0 14
Do Calf's Head with Bacon ditto	ditto	1 0	1 2
SAUSAGES—			
Bologne Sausages	...	2 2	2 6
Cambridge Sausages	...	1 0	1 4
Brunswick do	...	2 2	2 6
Pork Sausages	...	1 0	1 4
Westphalia Sausages	...	1 2	1 6
Truffled Sausages	...	2 2	2 6
Lyons Sausages	...	4 12	5 0
Ham, Tongue, and Chicken Sausages	...	2 6	2 10
Oxford Sausages	...	2 0	2 4
PIES—			
Veal and Ham Pie	...	1 0	1 4
Pork Pie	...	1 0	1 4
Yorkshire Game Pie	...	1 4	1 8
GAME and POULTRY—			
Fowl, Boiled and Roast	...	1 2	1 4
Duck and Green Peas	...	1 2	1 4
Rump Steaks	...	1 0	1 4
Partridge, Roast	...	2 4	2 8
Grouse, Roast	...	2 12	3 0
Hare, Jugged, Roast and Stewed	...	0 14	1 0
POTTED MEATS and FISH—			
Potted Beef	...		
Do Ham	...		
Do Tongue	...	each 0	10 0 12
Do Meat, (Strasburg Paste)	...		
Yarmouth Bloater Paste	...		
Anchovy Paste	...		
Potted Game	...		
Do Salmon	...		
Do Ham and Chicken ...	...	each 0	12 0 14
Shrimp Paste	...		
Pate de Diable	...		
SOUPS—			
Chicken, Cock à Leekie, Cressi, Green Peas, Giblet, Gravy, Hare, Hotch Potch, Julienne, Kidney, Macaroni, Mutton Broth, Mulligatawny, Ox Cheek, Ox Tail, Oyster, Palestine, Vegetable, Vermicelli, and Venison, each	...	0 10	0 12
Grouse and Partridge, each	...	1 0	1 2
TART FRUITS—			
Cranberries, Gooseberries, and Rhubarb, each		0 8	0 10
Apple, Currant, Cherry, Plum, Damson, Greengage, Raspberry, Red Currant, and Black Currant, each	...	0 10	0 12
SAUCES—			
Cold Meat, Windsor, General, and Lord Mayor	in ½ pints...	0 8	0 10
Do do	do pints...	0 12	0 14
City of London, Beef-steak, Gloucester, Harvey, John